Avalanche Hazard Forecast

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 19/02/2025 TO 18:00HRS Thu 20/02/2025

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

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Avalanche Problems



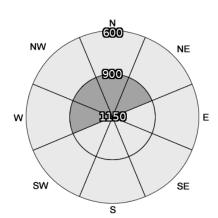


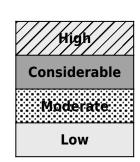
Wet Snow

Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will become moist, quickly developing instabilities with the onset of rain. Areas most affected will be West through North to North-East aspects above 900 metres, particularly in steep locations such as coire rims, gullies and convex slopes where accumulations are greatest. Cornices are likely to collapse, after which a slowly stabilising trend will become established. Elsewhere the snowpack will be mostly stable, slowly reducing in extent. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.





Forecast Weather Influences

Rain is expected at all elevations from the early hours of the morning. South-South-Easterly winds will veer to the South-West by the end of the period, reaching storm force. The freezing level will quickly rise to 2000 metres, falling to 1200 metres by the end of the period.

Comments

The onset of thaw conditions will create wet snow instability, with the potential for rock fall and cornice collapse in the high coires.



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